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| PETITION  | FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER:                                | Docket Number (Optiona | Docket Number (Optional)              |                               |  |
|---|---|------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| (Fees   | FY 2009  pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2 | 705123-2001            | 705123-2001                           |                               |  |
| Application Number 10/588,284   |   |                        | Filed August 4, 2006                  | Filed August 4, 2006          |  |
| For WATER-BASED SETTING AND HARDENING ACCELERATOR FOR HYDRAULIC BINDERS AND METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION THEREOF   |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| Art Unit Unassigned   |   |                        | Examiner Unassign                     | Examiner Unassigned           |  |
| This is a rec<br>application.   | quest under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136                  | 3(a) to extend the p   | eriod for filing a reply in the       | above identified              |  |
| The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):   |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
|   |   | Fee                    | Small Entity Fee                      |                               |  |
|   | One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))                               | \$130                  | \$65                                  | \$                            |  |
|   | Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))                              | \$490                  | \$245                                 | s                             |  |
|   | Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))                            | \$1110                 | \$555                                 | \$                            |  |
|   | Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))                             | \$1730                 | \$865                                 | s                             |  |
| 7   | Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))                             | \$2350                 | \$1175                                | § <u>2,350.00</u>             |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.   |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.  |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.   |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-4047  |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form.<br>Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| I am the applicant/inventor.  |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).  |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 44,481   |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.  Replistration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34  |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| and of l  |   |                        | February 24, 20                       | February 24, 2009             |  |
| Signature N. Liveta   |   |                        |                                       | Date                          |  |
| William N. Hughet Typed or printed name   |   |                        | 202-373-6000<br>Tolophon              | 202-373-6000 Telephone Number |  |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representation   |   |                        |                                       |                               |  |
| signature is requ   | uired, see below.   |                        | sentative(o) are required. Gastini in | uniple forms in more main one |  |
|   |   | submitted              |                                       |                               |  |

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